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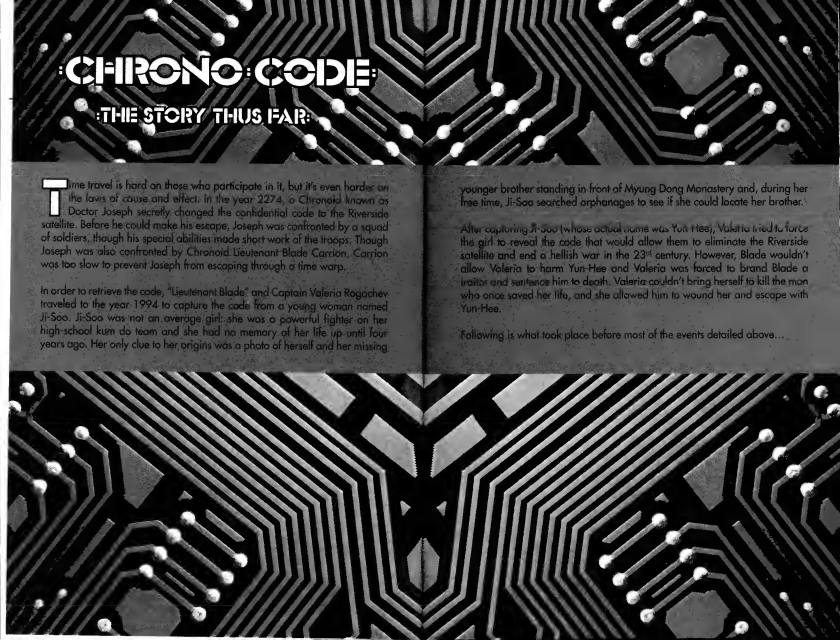
The great Armageddon war has been fought, and most of the world is destroyed. Out of the ruins arise four countries that race to attain dominance through chronoid technology. But in order to develop a chronoid, a perfect match is needed between the chronoid G and a human specimen. Four nations are at war...and the lives of everyone hang in the balance!



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THE STORY THUS FAR:

Time travel is hard on those who participate in it, but it's even harder on the laws of cause and effect. In the year 2274, a Chronoid known as Doctor Joseph secretly changed the confidential code to the Riverside satellite. Before he could make his escape, Joseph was confronted by a squad of soldiers, though his special abilities made short work of the troops. Though Joseph was also confronted by Chronoid Lieutenant Blade Carrion, Carrion was too slow to prevent Joseph from escaping through a time warp.

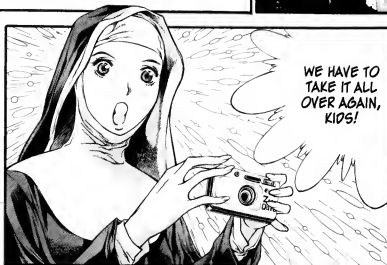
In order to retrieve the code, "Lieutenant Blade" and Captain Valeria Rogachev traveled to the year 1994 to capture the code from a young woman named Ji-Soo. Ji-Soo was not an average girl: she was a powerful fighter on her high-school kum do team and she had no memory of her life up until four years ago. Her only clue to her origins was a photo of herself and her missing

younger brother standing in front of Myung Dong Monastery and, during her free time, Ji-Soo searched orphanages to see if she could locate her brother.

After capturing Ji-Soo (whose actual name was Yun Hee), Valeria tried to force the girl to reveal the code that would allow them to eliminate the Riverside satellite and end a hellish war in the 23rd century. However, Blade wouldn't allow Valeria to harm Yun-Hee and Valeria was forced to brand Blade a traitor and sentence him to death. Valeria couldn't bring herself to kill the man who once saved her life, and she allowed him to wound her and escape with Yun-Hee.

Following is what took place before most of the events detailed above...

Year 2274.
Myung Dong Monastery.
Han Sung City.
Australian/Asian
Federation.



WE HAVE TO
TAKE IT ALL
OVER AGAIN,
KIDS!



HA HA! THESE
ARE THE KIDS
YOU'RE GOING
TO ADOPT.

THE CHILD WHO
JUST PASSED US
IS YUN-WOO, AND
THE ONE RUNNING
TOWARDS US IS
YUN-HEE.

THE KIDS ARE
SURE FULL OF
ENERGY...

Jump!!

YUN-WOO,
STOP IT RIGHT
NOW!!! DO
YOU HEAR
ME?!?!

HO HO HO,
AREN'T THE
CHILDREN
ADORABLE?

THEY'RE NOT
USUALLY THIS
MISCHIEVOUS...
HAH HAH HAH...

IS THAT
SO?

...AND WELL-
MANNERED.

HO HO...
THEN HOW
ABOUT YOU
ADOPT THEM,
FATHER?

OH
HO
HO!

ISN'T
THAT RIGHT,
CHILDREN?

IT'S ALL
RIGHT--
CHILDREN
ARE ALL
LIKE THAT!

UGH!

WELL,
WELL! LET US
GO INSIDE FIRST.

YUN-HEE,
YUN-WOO, FROM
NOW ON, I'M YOUR
MOM.♡

AND
I'M
DAD.

스윽~!!



YUN-HEE, HERE
IS THE PICTURE I
TOOK OF YOU.



BE HAPPY,
CHILDREN.



FATHER,
SISTER...I WON'T
FORGET YOUR
KINDNESS.



THANK
YOU.

I'LL
ALWAYS KEEP
THIS CLOSE
TO ME.



DON'T WORRY, WE'LL
TAKE SUCH GOOD
CARE OF YUN-HEE AND
YUN-WOO THAT THEY'LL
HAVE EVERYTHING THEY
COULD EVER NEED.



WHEW! THOSE POOR
KIDS. JUST BECAUSE
OF THIS WAR...

슈우우웅



PLEASE LET
THOSE CHILDREN
GROW UP WITHOUT
ANY MORE
SUFFERING OR
PAIN...



PLEASE
STAY IN
TOUCH.

THANK YOU
FOR TAKING CARE
OF US.

WELL,
LET'S
GET IN
THE CAR.



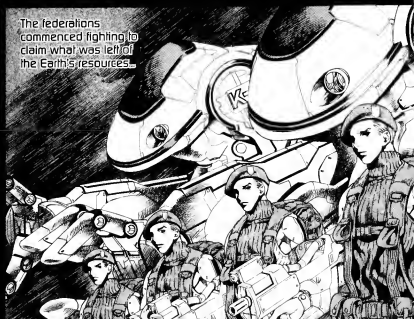
AMEN.

"Armageddon. It was called the 'last battle,' and it consumed nearly everything that humanity had wrought."



The year: 2156.
Those who survived have established continental federations in an attempt to restore civilization.

The federations commenced fighting to claim what was left of the Earth's resources...



But what lies ahead of them is a dark and hopeless future.

...and in the year 2271, the two most powerful factions, EurRussia and the Aurience Federation, ignited a conflict with no end in sight.



They opened wounds from her previous battle.



...each faction slowly annihilating the other.



I SHOULD
HAVE
STOPPED
HIM!!



DOCTOR JOSEPH,
I MAY HAVE LOST
YOU TODAY...

...BUT I WILL
RETRIEVE THE
SECURITY CODE
FOR RIVERSIDE.



HEY!
BLADE!



ARE YOU BACK FROM
MEETING WITH GENERAL
ALEMAN? I HEARD
THERE WAS SOME SORT
OF BIG INCIDENT...



VALERIA.



IS IT TRUE THAT
THE SECURITY
CODE HAS BEEN
STOLEN?

BE QUIET! THAT
MATTER IS TOP-
SECRET!!



IT'S MY FAULT
THAT I COULDN'T
STOP IT FROM
HAPPENING...

...BUT
INTELLIGENCE
WAS TOO SLOW
TO REALIZE
WHAT WAS
GOING ON.

IDIOT! WHO SAID ANYTHING?

YOU'RE NOT POSSIBLY... COOKING UP ANOTHER STRANGE DISH?

IF YOU'RE DONE WITH YOUR WORK, LET'S GO OUT. ESPECIALLY SINCE YOU MUST BE FEELING PRETTY DOWN.

HEY! YOU WANT TO DIE?!

HMPH... NOTHING BUT SOLDIERS.

OKAY! OKAY!! I GET IT, SO LET'S FORGET ABOUT IT FOR NOW.

BUT, BLADE...

ANYWAY, ONCE THE RECOVERY OPERATION FOR THE SECURITY CODE BEGINS, I'LL BE THE NEW FIRST OFFICER.

MY COOKING...IS IT REALLY THAT BAD?

YUP.

WHAT DID YOU SAY? YOU JERK!!

IF IT DOESN'T TASTE GOOD, IT DOESN'T TASTE GOOD.

WHAT DID YOU EXPECT FROM A BAR LOCATED JUST OUTSIDE A MILITARY BASE?

HOWEVER, IT DOES HAVE A CHARM ALL ITS OWN, SO THEY GET A LOT OF REGULARS.

THIS PLACE IS A TOTAL DIVE.

IT SMELLS MASCULINE HERE.

HEY, BARTENDER!

WHAT
DO YOU
SAY?

THIS IS PLAIN
WATER. YOU
LOOKING FOR
A SMACK IN THE
MOUTH?

YOU ALWAYS
ORDER JUST
A GLASS OF
WATER, SIT ALL
BY YOURSELF
AND THEN
LEAVE.

ONCE IN A
WHILE, YOU
SELL ME
TEQUILA!

ONCE IN A WHILE...

MY USUAL.

YES?
WELCOME.

WHAT
CAN I GET
YOU?

VOOKA.

OKAY,
HERE'S YOUR
WATER.

HUH?

LOOK HERE,
BARTENDER!

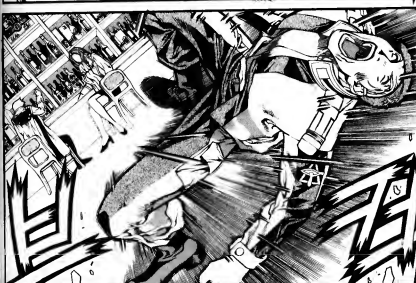
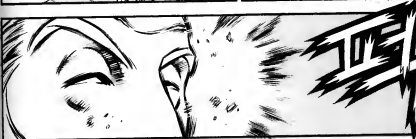
THIS WAS A
MISTAKE! I
SHOULD HAVE
JUST GONE
HOME--

I JUST
WANTED
TO LOOK
COOL, FOR
A CHANGE!

WHY
DON'TCHA
CALM DOWN
AND HAVE A
SEAT?

VO!
LIEUTENANT!!

EH?!



OWWWW!!

파악

HEY, WHAT'S GOING ON?

THOSE JERKS!

BLADE, WHY DID YOU DO THAT?

I WAS GOING TO PUNCH HIS LIGHTS OUT!

TSK
TSK

YOU KNOW WHY.

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HEY, BRUNT...YOU DON'T ACT THE LEAST BIT LIKE A SOLDIER, MUCH LESS A HIGH-RANKING OFFICER, AND YOUR ACTIONS MAKE ME SICK.

HEY! YOU CAN'T TALK TO US LIKE THAT! GET OVER HERE!!

I'LL BE LEAVING NOW, CAPTAIN.

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*S.T. RANGER: A special force of the Eurussian Federation, made up of Chronoids.

THAT...THAT INSIGNIA!



S.T.
RANGER*
FORCE!

YOU MEN AREN'T
WORTHY TO WEAR THE
RANK OF AN OFFICER
AND I HAVE NO
INTENTION OF LETTING
YOUR BEHAVIOR
SLIDE.

PREPARE TO
FIGHT!

THAT
GUY'S
NOT
HUMAN!

HE'S A
CHRONOID!

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CROAK--

LET'S JUST GO.
I THINK TONIGHT
IS A WRITE-
OFF.

WAIT!!

WHAT
DO YOU
WANT?

OOF...

UH...WELL, THE
RUINED TABLE IS
320,000 RUBLES,
THE SMASHED
BOTTLES ARE
170,000 RUBLES,
THE BUSTED CHAIRS
ARE 240,000
RUBLES...

...COMPEN-
SATION TO THE BAR-
TENDER FOR
EMOTIONAL
PAIN AND
SUFFERING
IS 2 MILLION
RUBLES...

OH!
AND...

HUH?

WHAT'S
THE
DEAL?

I DIDN'T EVEN
GET TO EXERCISE
MY HAND, AND
NOW IT'S ALL
OVER!

AND...WHAT
ELSE?

AH...NEVER
MIND ALL
THOSE
EXPENSES--
I'LL COVER
THEM...HA
HA...

GOOD-
BYE!!

HEY!
BLADE!

LET'S GO
TOGETHER!

GULP!

The next day, at the Eurussian Federation office.

WORD OF
YESTERDAY'S
INCIDENT HAS
SPREAD.



I APOLOGIZE,
GENERAL.



DON'T WORRY ABOUT
IT. IT'S NOT A BIG
DEAL TO TEACH A
BAD OFFICER A
LESSON. BUT THAT'S
NOT WHY I CALLED
YOU HERE...



I WAS JUST
CONTACTED BY
THE MP OFFICE.

HAVE YOU HEARD
OF THE METAL
BEASTS?



BEFORE WE
SUCCESSFULLY
DEVELOPED THE
CHRONOIDS,
OUR FEDERATION
ATTEMPTED TO
DEVELOP THE
METAL BEASTS.



APPROXIMATELY ONE WEEK
AGO, A COMPANY OF OUR
INFANTRY WAS TOTALLY
ANNIHILATED.



THE ENEMY WAS
JUST ONE METAL
BEAST.

THEN, IT
BELONGS TO
THE AURIENCE
FEDERATION?



THE ENEMY
DOES NOT HAVE
THE CAPABILITY
TO DEVELOP
CHRONOIDS. SO,
THEIR LAST HOPE
WAS TO CREATE
METAL BEASTS.



YOUR
MISSION...



Aurience Federation
military laboratory
No. 5

PERSONNEL
ROTATION FOR
REAR PERIMETER
GUARDS!

THE
OBJECTIVE IS
TO COMPLETELY
DESTROY THEIR
HOPE OF
VICTORY.

ACCORDING
TO OUR
SPIES...

...THE METAL
BEASTS ARE
STILL IN THE
TESTING
STAGE.

DESTROY ALL
RESEARCH
PERTAINING TO THE
DEVELOPMENT OF
THE METAL BEASTS.
DESTROY IT
COMPLETELY.



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I HAVE SUCCESS-
FULLY BREACHED
THE PREMISES.

HAVE YOU
LOCATED THE
LABORATORY?

MAYBE
I JUST
IMAGINED
IT?

I-I'M DOCTOR
JU-ROW'S CHIEF
ASSISTANT.

UHM,
HELLO...

위잉위잉

YOU SHOULD
PRAISE THE
ASSISTANT WHO
KINDLY AIDED
YOU.

OKAY, I'LL
INFILTRATE
THE LAB.

VALERIA,
DISTRACT
THE OUTSIDE
GUARDS.

THE METAL BEASTS'
DEVELOPMENT
LABORATORY IS IN
BUILDING
B, ON THE
THIRTEENTH
FLOOR.

WHERE IS
DOCTOR
JU-ROW?

OKAY.
THANKS,
VALERIA...

YES, YES....
THE DOCTOR
SHOULD...SHOULD
BE IN THE LAB
RIGHT NOW.

AHH! I
TOLD YOU
EVERYTHING!
PLEASE DON'T
KILL ME!

OKAY!

WE'RE
ALMOST
AT THE
LABORATORY.

위잉위잉

HEY,
ASSISTANT!
STEP ON
IT!!

싸악
I SAID
STEP
ON IT!!

WHAT?

OKAY!
OKAY!!

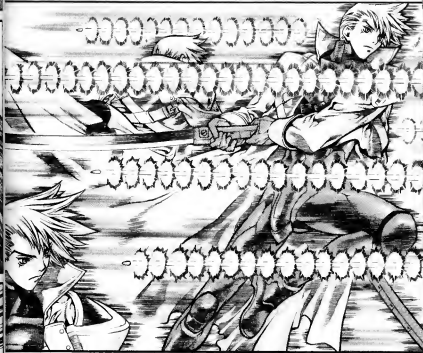
WHAT DO
YOU MEAN,
"THANKS..."?

HEY?!

HEY?
HEY!

STOP...
STOP!

TOP OF





WE'RE
GETTING
COMPLETELY
WIPE OUT!
ANSWER!!

자르르

DELTA
TEAM!

ANSWER,
YOU
BASTARDS...
AAAGHHH!!

SHALL I GO
MEET BLADE
NOW?

Level
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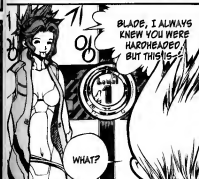
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IS THIS A
DOUBLE LAYER
OF DENATURALIZED
PLATINUM? IT WON'T
BE EASY TO SMASH
THROUGH...

타자







...A METAL
BEAST!!



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ONE SHOULD
AVOID AN
INFILTRATION
DURING A FULL
MOON.



DOCTOR,
DON'T YOU
KNOW?



BUT THE
MOON IS
UNUSUALLY
BRIGHT TONIGHT.
I CAN ALMOST
FEEL ITS
WARMTH.



PERHAPS IT MEANS
THAT THEY HAVE A LOT
OF CONFIDENCE IN
THEMSELVES.

00
ILHO'S

01
SEUNG BUN

02
MIN GY

CONFIDENCE?



THAT'S RIGHT,
BUT MORE
IMPORTANTLY...



...AREN'T
THEY THE
CHRONOIDS
THAT WE HAVE
BEEN WAITING
FOR?

HO HO HO!

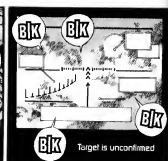


HO HO HO!
DOCTOR,
YOU'RE TOO
MUCH!!



YOU MEAN...
YOU'RE SAYING
YOU'RE NOT
SATISFIED WITH
THE METAL
BEASTS, NOR
WITH ME.







HOW
PATHETIC.



쿠쿠크
A CREATION LIKE
THIS, THE LATEST
WEAPON...



THAT WAS
IMPRESSIVE.



I'D LIKE TO
APPLAUD YOU, BUT
HOW CAN I?



MY HANDS
ARE FULL.



IF YOU
MOVE
ANOTHER
INCH...



OH MY? ARE
YOU REGAINING
CONSCIOUS-
NESS?!



WHAT A
SHAME. IF
YOU ARE A
CHRONOID,
THEN
SHOULDN'T
YOU BE
ABLE TO...

...EASILY
AVOID THESE
BULLETS?!



...THIS LADY
MIGHT GET
HURT.



SO, WHAT'S
WITH THE OLD
HOSTAGE
DRAMA?



I'M VERY
DISAP-
POINTED.



WHY?

THIS IS THE
WOUNDED
COMRADE
YOU COULDN'T
PROTECT...



...SO IT'S
YOUR
FAULT!!



IS THIS
ALL A
CHRONOID
CAN DO...?









VALERIA, HANG
IN THERE UNTIL I
COMPLETE THE
MISSION.

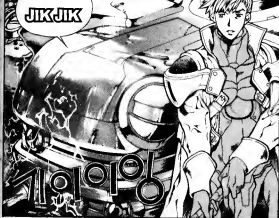


EVEN
THOUGH THE
METAL BEASTS
ARE ARMORED
UNITS...

...A LARGE
NUMBER OF THE
CORPSES...



WHERE IS
DOCTOR
JU-ROW?



JIKJIK



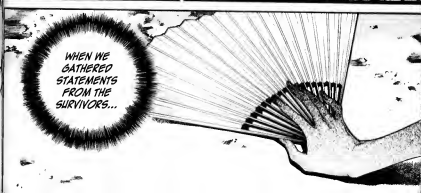
...HAD SWORD
WOUNDS ON
THEM.



ARE YOU STILL
MOVING? FINE.
GET UP AND I'LL
DESTROY YOU
COMPLETELY.



I DON'T THINK
IT IS THE WORK
OF JUST A
METAL BEAST.



WHEN WE
GATHERED
STATEMENTS
FROM THE
SURVIVORS...



IT SEEMS...



...THERE
WAS AN
UNIDENTIFIED
FEMALE
PRESENT...



...WHO
WAS A
BLOOD-
THIRSTY
KILLER!!



HOW...DID
YOU?

I AM
ALSO...

...A CHRONOID.



ISN'T THE
MOON UNUSUALLY
BRIGHT?



AT LEAST IT
WON'T BE DARK
WHEN YOU ENTER
INTO THE NEXT
WORLD.

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A
BLOODTHIRSTY
KILLER IN
HUMAN FORM?
THEN...

DOES THAT
MEAN THEY'VE
CREATED
THEIR OWN
CHRONOID?

PERHAPS THE
METAL BEAST
IS MERELY A
DECOY?

GENERAL!

THE AGENTS
INVOLVED IN
TODAY'S MISSION
MAY BE IN GRAVE
DANGER.

IS IT
POSSIBLE...?

I DIDN'T WANT
TO BELIEVE IT EITHER,
HOWEVER THESE INJURIES
WERE NOT CAUSED BY
A METAL BEAST'S
ARMAMENTS.

THERE'S NOTHING
TO WORRY ABOUT.
A DEFEAT WON'T BE
AS EASY AS THEY
ANTICIPATE.

THEY'RE FACING
BLADE CARRION.
AND I HAPPEN TO
KNOW...

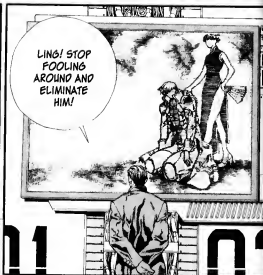
NO MATTER WHAT HE'S
UP AGAINST, HE WON'T
BACK DOWN.



ARE YOU
FAKING?
OR, DID
YOU REALLY
FAINT?



LING! STOP
FOOLING
AROUND AND
ELIMINATE
HIM!



YES,
DOCTOR.



GOODBYE,
MISTER...





HUH?

TIME'S
UP...



MY...MY
BODY...



LING! WHAT'S
HAPPENING?!

I GUESS
YOU DON'T
KNOW...



AH AH
AHK!



AN AUTHENTIC
CHRONOID IS A
PERFECT FUSION OF
A CHRONOID G-UNIT
AND THE HUMAN
GENOME.



THE PULSE OF A
FAULTY CHRONOID
6-UNIT... I COULD
SENSE IT WHEN
YOU ATTACKED
ME.

YOU'RE NOTHING BUT A
SLOPPILY CONSTRUCTED
KNOCKOFF! A SHODDY
IMITATION AT BEST!



WHEN PUSHED
TOO FAR, YOUR
COMPONENTS
CAN'T HANDLE THE
STRESS.

TOTAL SYSTEM
BREAKDOWN IS
INEVITABLE.







SO THIS IS THE
CHRONOID 6-UNIT
THAT THE DOCTOR
CREATED?

HE SHOULDN'T
HAVE WASTED
HIS TIME.

IT'S LOADED
WITH FLAWS.



WELL, THAT'S AN
IMITATION MODEL
FOR YOU!



WHEN DEVELOPMENT
IS FUELED BY GREED
WITHOUT TALENT, ALL
YOU GET ARE SHODDY
RESULTS.

BEFORE YOU
DIE, LISTEN VERY
CAREFULLY TO WHAT I
SAY, PROFESSOR...

HEY! HE'S
ALREADY
DEAD.



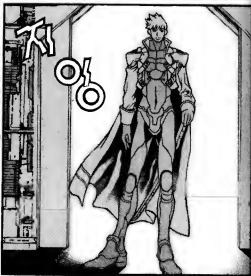
DAMN IT!
THE VICTOR'S
SUPPOSED TO GET
IN A COOL SPEECH
BEFORE THE
ENEMY DIES!



WELL, WHAT'S
MOST IMPORTANT IS
THAT I DON'T THINK
THERE ARE ANY
MORE CHRONOID'S
RUNNING AROUND.



I'M GOING
TO CHECK
SOMETHING
OUT.



I'M AT
THE UNIT A
BASEMENT,
BLOCK C.



THIS...
THIS IS...!

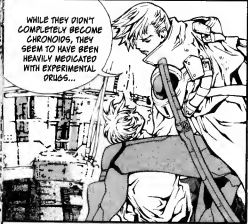


THIS IS HORRIBLE!
VALERIA, WHAT THE
HELL IS THIS?!

BASED ON
THE DATA...

...THESE
ARE THE
HUMAN GUINEA
PIGS WHO WERE
EXPERIMENTED
UPON TO DEVELOP
THE CHRONOID
G-UNIT.





WHILE THEY DIDN'T COMPLETELY BECOME CHRONOIDS, THEY SEEM TO HAVE BEEN HEAVILY MEDICATED WITH EXPERIMENTAL DRUGS...



WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO?

PLEASE...
HELP ME...



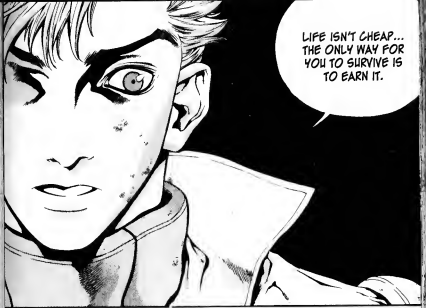
IT'S A SHAME, BUT I DON'T HAVE ANY OBLIGATION TO RESCUE THESE KIDS.



THIS IS SO LIKE YOU, BLADE.



LEAVE THE DOOR OPEN. IF THEY HAVE THE WILL TO SURVIVE, AT LEAST THEY CAN CRAWL OUT OF THIS PLACE.



LIFE ISN'T CHEAP... THE ONLY WAY FOR YOU TO SURVIVE IS TO EARN IT.



HEADQUARTERS,
I'M WAITING FOR
A RESPONSE.



THIS IS...
ARGH!



clint



VALERIA!

BLADE, YOU
IMBECILE!!!



THINK YOU DID A
GOOD ENOUGH
JOB RUNNING ME
THROUGH?!

VALERIA!
WE HAVE TO
GET OUT OF
HERE...
AACE!



COUGH COUGH!
THE TIME IS NOW
9:27--



LIEUTENANT BLADE
GARRION AND VALERIA
ROBACHEV--MISSION
ACCOMPLISHED...





RETURNING
TO BASE.



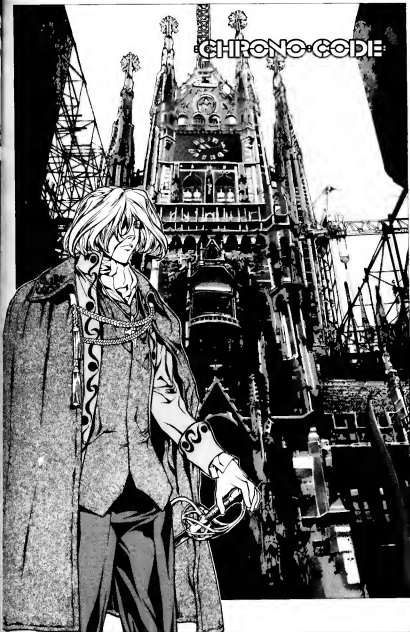
URGH! THE
MORE I THINK
ABOUT IT, THE
MORE PISSED
OFF I GET!!

NOW LOOK,
VALERIA...

SHUT UP
AND LAND
THIS THING
RIGHT NOW!
BLADE!!

WE CAN
TALK ABOUT
THIS LATER,
VALERIA!

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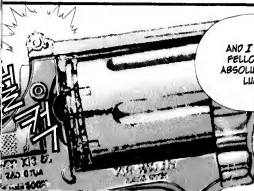
THERE ARE TWO KINDS OF PEOPLE IN THIS WORLD--ONE IS THE KIND OF PERSON WHO BREAKS HIS NOSE WHEN HE FALLS BACKWARD...



...WHILE THE OTHER IS THE KIND OF PERSON WHOSE LUCK IS SO GOOD THAT EVEN IF HE IS WALKING BACKWARDS HE CAN STILL AVOID FALLING OFF A CLIFF.



DON'T BE SO FRIGHTENED. THE ODDS ARE ONE IN SIX...



AND I AM THE FELLOW WITH ABSOLUTELY NO LUCK.



SO, SHALL WE TEST YOUR LUCK FIRST?

YOU... YOU'LL KEEP YOUR PROMISE, HADES?

OF COURSE.



IF YOU WIN, I WILL CERTAINLY DIE.

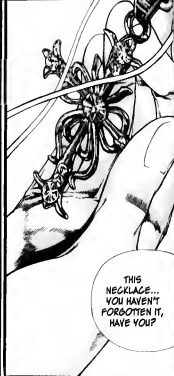
AND YOU, THE MAYOR OF THIS CITY, WILL BE HAILED AS A GREAT HERO.



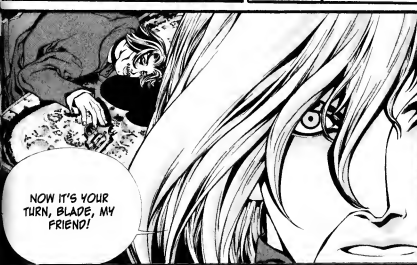
SO, GO
AHEAD. PULL
THE TRIGGER.



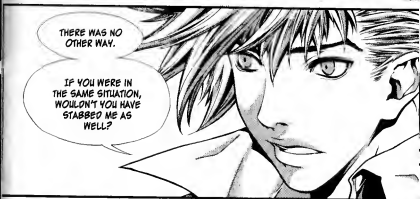
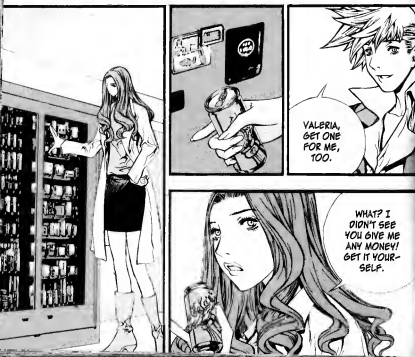
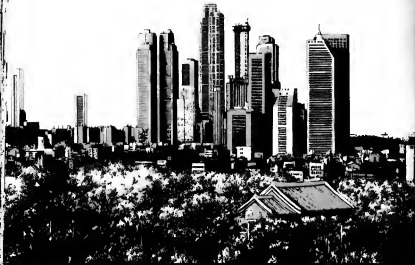
AND SO
ANOTHER CITY
IS CHANGED TO
TARTARUS.



THIS
NECKLACE...
YOU HAVEN'T
FORGOTTEN IT,
HAVE YOU?



NOW IT'S YOUR
TURN, BLADE, MY
FRIEND!





OH HO, IS THAT
RIGHT?

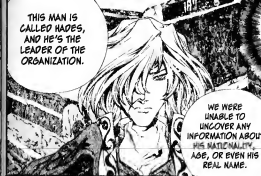
THEN NEXT TIME,
PLEASE BE SO KIND
AS TO AIM DIRECTLY
FOR MY HEART--



SPECIAL
FORCES--

PSHT!

REPORT
IMMEDIATELY TO
THE OPERATIONS
CENTER.



THIS MAN IS
CALLED HADES,
AND HE'S THE
LEADER OF THE
ORGANIZATION.

WE WERE
UNABLE TO
UNCOVER ANY
INFORMATION ABOUT
HIS NATIONALITY,
AGE, OR EVEN HIS
REAL NAME.



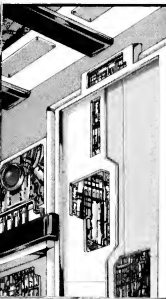
THAT FACE...
IT SEEMS
FAMILIAR.



IMPOSSIBLE
...



NO, IT CAN'T BE
POSSIBLE!



THIS IS
THE FIFTH
CITY WHERE A
TERRORIST BOMB
HAS BEEN
DETONATED.

IT'S THE
HANDWORK OF
THE EXTREMIST
ANTI-WAR
FACTION
TARTARUS.



DID YOU GET ALL
OF THAT? AT THE REQUEST
OF OUR NATION'S SECURITY
COUNCIL, ADDITIONAL MEMBERS
FROM OUR FORCES ARE
BEING DEPLOYED.

LIEUTENANTS
BLADE AND
VALERIA, YOU WILL
HEAD THIS MILITARY
OPERATION.

INTELLIGENCE
WAS ABLE TO
OBTAIN SECRET
INFORMATION AS
TO WHERE THE NEXT
TARGET WILL BE.

The next day,
Eastern district of the
Eurasian Federation,
Prague.

THE NEXT
TARGET FOR
TARTARUS IS
PRAGUE.

SECOND CLASS
WOULD BE BAD
ENOUGH, BUT
ECONOMY CLASS...
THAT'S JUST PLAIN
INSULTING.

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WELL,
AT LEAST IT'S
BETTER THAN THE
TRANSPORT PLANE.
JUST LET IT GO,
VALERIA.

SINCE THIS IS A
COVERT ASSIGNMENT,
DOESN'T IT FEEL
GOOD TO BE OUT OF
MILITARY UNIFORM?

Baggage Claim
Immigration
Be it
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I'M NOT SURE.
WELL...EXCEPT
FOR THE FACT
THAT I'M
ACCOMPANIED BY
A JERK, I GUESS
IT'S OKAY.



PRAGUE.
IT'S BEEN A
LONG TIME.

WHEW...

WELL, I'LL
SEE YOU
LATER.

WHAT? WHERE
ARE YOU
GOING?!

THE MISSION
DOESN'T
START UNTIL
TOMORROW,
SO DON'T
WORRY
ABOUT ME.





BLADE...I DIDN'T
THINK IT COULD BE
YOU...

...BUT
YOU'RE
REALLY
HERE.



I'D
HEARD THAT
THERE WERE
TWO SUPPORT
FORCES HERE,
BUT...

YAN, THERE'S
SOMETHING I
WANT TO ASK
YOU.

THIS
NECKLACE...

...ONE ALREADY
WENT TO THEIR
LODGINGS.

DO YOU
REMEMBER
IT?

SIR...



YOU...REALIZED
WHOSE IT IS. YOU'RE
CORRECT.

RIGHT NOW
HE USES HADES AS
AN ALIAS, BUT IT'S
PRETTY OBVIOUS
THAT HE'S...

IGOR...
IS THAT
CORRECT?



SIR, PLEASE
BACK OFF FROM
THIS ASSIGNMENT.
YOU WON'T BE
ABLE TO KILL
HIM.

IN FACT, IT'S YOU
WHO WILL DIE AT THE
HANDS OF IGOR...
ER, HADES.

YAN!





THAT MAN SHOULD
HAVE DIED BY MY HAND
THREE YEARS AGO.

I'LL MAKE HIM
REGRET NOT GIVING
UP THE GHOST BACK
THEN.



YOU LOOK
LONELY.

THERE'S NO
NEED FOR
THAT.



ALL HE HAS
TO DO IS JUST
SAY HE'S
SORRY...



...THAT
MONUMENTAL
JERK!



DO YOU REALLY
WANT TO SPOIL THIS
NICE ATMOSPHERE
WITH A KNIFE
FIGHT...

...LIEUTENANT
VALERIA?!



MAY I
JOIN YOU
FOR A
WHILE?

BARTENDER,
I'LL HAVE WHAT
THIS LADY IS
HAVING.



I'M SORRY TO PUT IT THIS WAY, BUT...

...YOU AREN'T STUPID, HADES, SO ARE YOU DOING THIS OUT OF DELUSIONS OF GRANDEUR?!



LET'S JUST SAY I WANT TO SHARE A STORY, AND LEAVE IT AT THAT.



THIS NECKLACE...

...YOU'VE SEEN IT BEFORE?



TELL ME-- DO YOU TRUST HIM?

.....

OR IS THERE SOMETHING... STRANGE ABOUT HIM?



YOU KNEW THAT BLADE WAS COMING.



THAT BELONGS TO BLADE.



YOU ARE WRONG. THERE WERE ORIGINALLY TWO OF THESE NECKLACES.



EVERY TIME I LOOK AT THIS, HE FLASHES THROUGH MY MIND, AND I THINK ABOUT HOW I'M GOING TO TEAR THAT MISERABLE BASTARD TO PIECES.



THIS PLACE...

...IS OUR HOMETOWN.



THE ONE WHO THREW AWAY HIS FRIEND TO FURTHER HIS OWN AMBITIONS...



...AND THE ONE WHO CAME BACK FROM A BRUESOME DEATH...



THE TWO WILL MEET AGAIN IN THIS PLACE.

SO YOU'RE
PLANNING ON
TURNING THIS
CITY INTO
HELL?

OH! AND
I HAVE A
WARNING FOR
YOU!

YOU'LL FIND
OUT SOON
ENOUGH, WHEN
WE MEET
AGAIN. ISN'T
THAT SO?

DO NOT
TRUST
BLADE.

IN ORDER
TO FULFILL HIS
GOALS, HE WILL
TRAMPLE FRIENDSHIP
AND LOVE WITHOUT
A MOMENT'S
HESITATION.

CHRONO CODE





IN ORDER TO STOP
HADES, THREE CHRONIDS
WERE DISPATCHED.



THIS PHOTO...
YOU KEPT IT.



HOWEVER,
THEY WERE ALL
KILLED...IN VERY
GRUESOME
WAYS.



DO YOU
HAVE TO
GO? SIR?!

UGH!

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VAN.



AH...
THIS.



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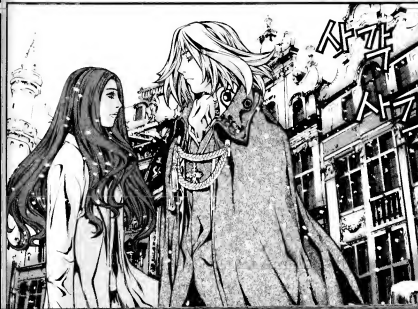
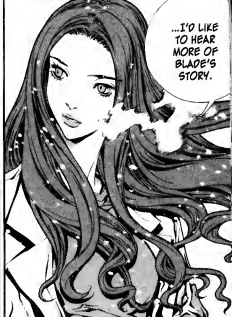


HADES AND I
ARE BLOOD
ENEMIES.

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THREE YEARS AGO, WITH
THESE HANDS, I SEVERED
OUR FRIENDSHIP.

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VALERIA
ROSACHEV, I
DON'T KNOW
WHY...

...BUT THERE IS
SOMETHING ABOUT
YOU THAT MAKES
ME WANT TO TALK
TO YOU.



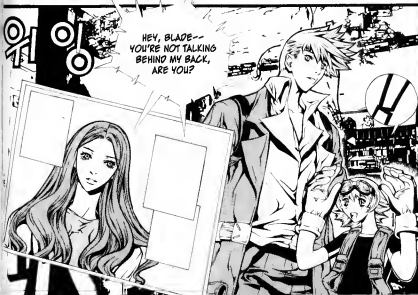
ALL RIGHT. I
WILL TELL YOU
WHAT HAPPENED
DURING OUR
FRIENDSHIP,
WHAT KIND OF
GUY BLADE
IS. ON ONE
CONDITION...



I NEED
YOUR HELP.



BLADE,
WHY ISN'T
LIEUTENANT
VALERIA
COMING?



HEY, BLADE--
YOU'RE NOT TALKING
BEHIND MY BACK,
ARE YOU?

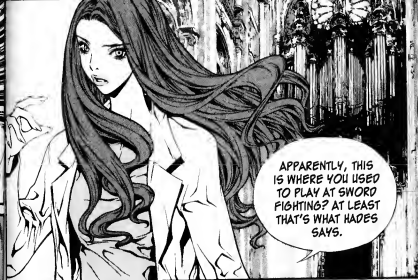


VALERIA!
WHAT
HAPPENED?

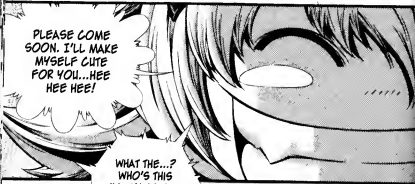


LIEUTENANT
VALERIA!

OH YEAH--I
CAN'T BELIEVE I
GET TO WORK WITH
SUCH A BEAUTIFUL
WOMAN!!



APPARENTLY, THIS
IS WHERE YOU USED
TO PLAY AT SWORD
FIGHTING? AT LEAST
THAT'S WHAT HADES
SAYS.



PLEASE COME
SOON. I'LL MAKE
MYSELF CUTE
FOR YOU...HEE
HEE HEE!

WHAT THE...?
WHO'S THIS
ILL-MANNERED
KID?!



MEET SECOND
LIEUTENANT VAL.
SHE'S A MEMBER OF
THE TARTARUS CELL,
WORKING ON OUR SIDE
OF THE MISSION.

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WHERE ARE
YOU?



WHERE
AM I?



HADES?!
ARE YOU...
WITH HIM?

WELL...IT
JUST SORT
OF HAPPENED
THAT WAY.
ANYWAY...

I DON'T KNOW
EXACTLY WHAT
YOU'RE DOING...

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JUST TO LET
YOU KNOW, I'M
GOING TO STAY
OUT OF THIS
ASSIGNMENT.

...BUT LISTEN TO
ME CAREFULLY:
IF YOU'RE DOING
SOMETHING BEHIND
MY BACK, I WILL
NEVER FORGIVE
YOU..

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LET'S GO,
VAN.

UH, SIR!

THIS IS
SUPPOSED TO BE
A COOPERATIVE
MISSION BETWEEN
THE NATION'S SECUR-
ITY FORCES, AND I
ACTUALLY START
TOMORROW,
SO...

THEN, I'LL
SEE YOU
TOMORROW.

YOU CAN COME
BACK AND TAKE
CARE OF HADES'
CORPSE.



IT WON'T BE
THAT EASY. I'M
NO LONGER AS
WEAK AS I WAS
LAST TIME WE
CLASHED, SO
LONG AGO.

AND...

I'D GIVE
ANYTHING
TO SEE THE
EXPRESSION ON
BLADE'S FACE
RIGHT NOW.

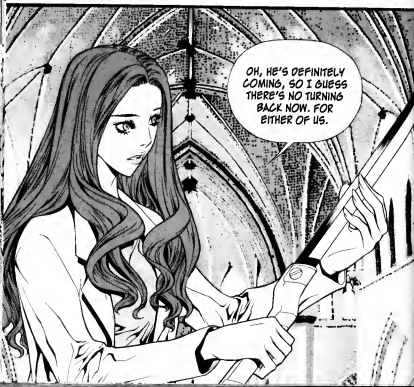
HE'D PROBABLY
PUT HIS SWORD IN
YOUR NECK. AND
IN MINE.

YOUR
SWORD?

THIS IS THE STEEL
THAT BLADE PIERCED
ME WITH THREE
YEARS AGO.



IF I MEET HIM
AGAIN I MIGHT
NOT BE ABLE TO
CONTROL HIM ON
MY OWN. IF THAT'S
THE CASE, THEN
I'LL NEED YOUR
HELP.



OH, HE'S DEFINITELY
COMING, SO I GUESS
THERE'S NO TURNING
BACK NOW. FOR
EITHER OF US.



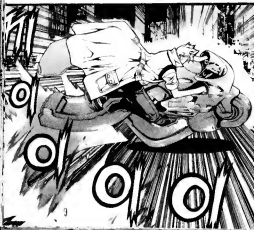
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CHRONO CODE





WHY DID
YOU COME
BACK? ARE
YOU REALLY
SO EAGER
TO DIE?!



THIS BODY
HAS ALREADY
DIED ONCE.



IF I DIE
AGAIN, I'M
TAKING
SOMEONE
ELSE WITH
ME.



Three years ago...

A chronoid
who failed the
experimental
fusion procedure
has escaped
with military
secrets.



YOU... YOU'RE
THE LAST TO
BLOCK MY
WAY OUT?

YOU SHOULD
JUST LET ME
PASS...

The fugitive is
Second Lieutenant
Igor Kiripin. Pursue
and eliminate with
extreme prejudice!



BLADE
!!



DO YOU REMEMBER? IN
MY YOUTH...I WAS ALWAYS
SO HUNGRY...

I ALWAYS STOLE FOOD
FROM THE NEIGHBORHOOD
CHILDREN. EVEN...

...FROM MY OWN FAMILY.
EVEN THEY WERE NOT SPARED
FROM MY SELFISHNESS.

WAR GAVE ME A
GREAT OPPORTUNITY.
IF I BECAME A
CHRONOID...



...I COULD
BECOME
POWERFUL, AND
I BELIEVED
THAT WAS MY
DESTINY.

Second
Lieutenant
Blade! Come
in. Second
Lieutenant!

Report
your
current
status!



WHAT ARE YOU
DOING, ISOR?
WHY DIDN'T YOU
TRY TO DEFEND
YOURSELF?

BUT IT IS ALL A
MISTAKE. WITH
THIS WASTED
BODY...



I'M SORRY,
BUT I DON'T
HAVE TIME TO
HEAR YOUR
SOB STORY.



BLADE, I
HAVE A FINAL
FAVOR TO
ASK OF YOU.
MY PARENTS
LEFT THESE
TO ME.



YOU WANT ME
TO KEEP THIS
FOR YOU?



I MAY HATE YOU,
BUT YOU ARE THE
ONLY PERSON I CAN
ASK TO DO THIS...

NOW
FINISH IT.



I WILL TAKE
ONE WITH ME
IN DEATH, BUT I
WANT TO LEAVE
ONE BEHIND IN
THIS WORLD.



YEAH. IT'S
BETTER FOR
YOU TO HATE
ME...



SECOND LIEUTENANT BLADE
CARRION REPORTING. FOUR OF
OUR TROOPS HAVE BEEN KILLED.
THE CONFIDENTIAL DATA HAS
BEEN RECOVERED...



THE ESCAPEE
GOT AWAY. I'M
SORRY.



Huff

Huff

Huff

Ha ah



SO, BLADE...DID
SHOWING ME MERCY
MAKE YOU FEEL
PROUD?



THE
ONLY THING
REMAINING IN
MY SHATTERED
BODY...

AT THE
TIME, I FELT
NOTHING
BUT BITTER
DESPAIR.
HOWEVER, I
AM ALIVE.



...WAS MY
HATRED OF
YOU AND THE
HOMELAND THAT
DISPOSED OF ME
LIKE SO MUCH
GARBAGE.



THE WORLD
DOESN'T REVOLVE
AROUND YOUR
BITTERNESS!



GIVE UP
NOW,
IGOR!!

NO MATTER HOW
MUCH YOU KICK
AND STRUGGLE,
IT WILL CHANGE
NOTHING!!



DON'T GET
HIGH AND
MIGHTY WITH
ME!!

OOF
!!



I'M STRONG
ENOUGH
TO CHANGE
EVERYTHING
!!!



I'M GOING
TO DESTROY
EVERYTHING!!

DO YOU
HEAR ME?
EVERYTHING
!!!



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I-IGOR!!

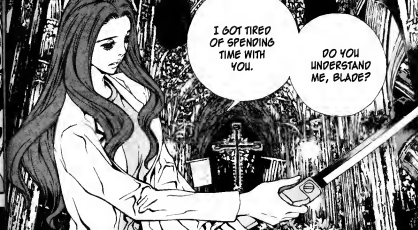


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A close-up of Blade's face, which is covered in blood. He has a determined and somewhat grimacing expression.

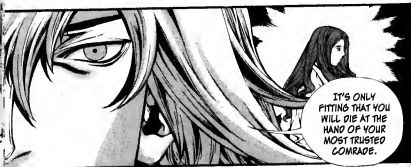
I WILL BRING
DOWN THE EURUSSIAN
FEDERATION THAT
THREW ME OUT LIKE
I WAS A PIECE OF
TRASH.

WATCH OVER
ME FROM HELL,
BLADE.

Alita is standing in a cemetery, holding a sword. In the background, a tombstone with a cross is visible.

I GOT TIRED
OF SPENDING
TIME WITH
YOU.

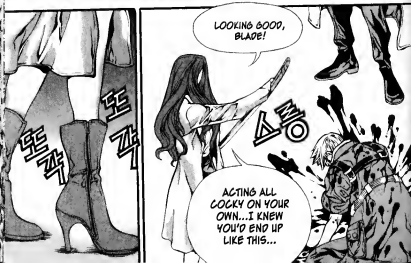
DO YOU
UNDERSTAND
ME, BLADE?

A close-up of Blade's right eye, looking intensely forward. In the background, Alita is seen from a distance.

IT'S ONLY
FITTING THAT YOU
WILL DIE AT THE
HAND OF YOUR
MOST TRUSTED
COMRADE.

Blade is shown in a city setting, looking down with a somber expression.

BLADE...

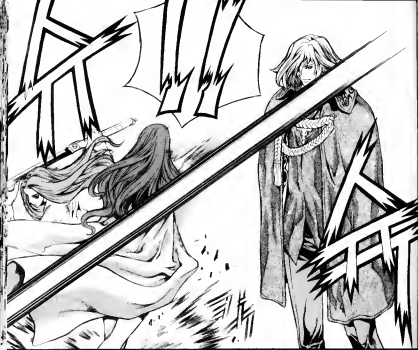
Alita is attacking Blade with her sword. Blade is on the ground, looking up in pain. Sound effects like '도작' and '썩' are present.

LOOKING GOOD,
BLADE!

ACTING ALL
COCKY ON YOUR
OWN...I KNEW
YOU'D END UP
LIKE THIS...

A close-up of Alita's face, showing her anger. A large starburst graphic is overlaid on the image.

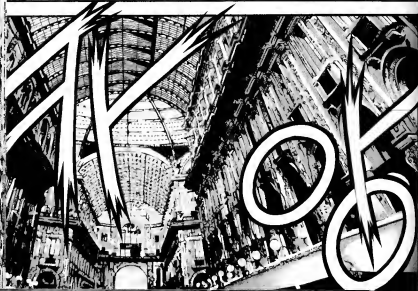
SAY
SOMETHING,
YOU JERK!!



WHAT A WASTE. WE
COULD HAVE MADE A
GOOD TEAM.



BLADE DIDN'T
THROW YOU AWAY
AS A FRIEND,
HADES! YOU THREW
HIM AWAY!!!

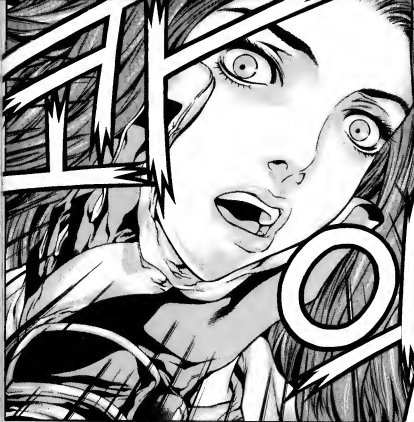


SIR!!



YAN!
QUICKLY!
BLADE...







HA HA!
I'M SOFT
TO THE
EXTREME!!!



VAN...



YOU'RE WORKING WITH
IGOR? DAMN, I CAN'T
MOVE MY BODY...
I'VE LOST TOO MUCH
BLOOD....!!



DO YOU
REMEMBER,
BLADE?

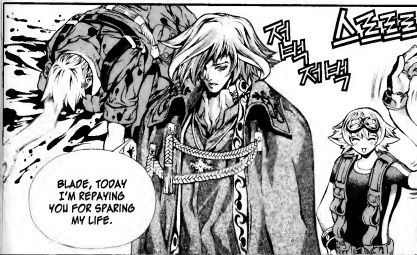


I SAID I WOULD
DESTROY THIS
WORLD BY MY
HAND.



OF COURSE, IGOR.
I TOOK OUT ALL
THE CLASSIFIED
CHRONOID INFO!

VAN, DID
YOU GET
EVERYTHING?



BLADE, TODAY
I'M REPAYING
YOU FOR SPARING
MY LIFE.



WHEN NEXT WE
MEET...I WILL
KILL YOU WITH MY
OWN HANDS.



SORRY,
SIR, BUT I
WARNED YOU
TO STAY OUT
OF THIS!



IGOR...



I'LL NEVER FORGIVE
YOU!! IGOR...!!

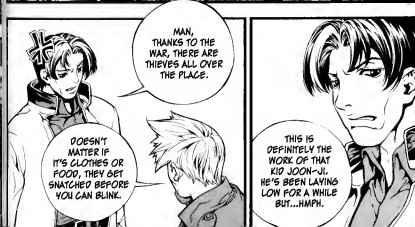
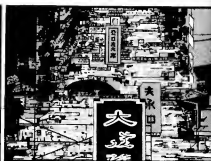


IGOR--!!

CHRONO CODE



March, 2275.
The border of Conbay City.





YOU
THERE!
STOP!!!



DUDE,
IT'S NOT
ME!!!

YOU
LITTLE
THIEF!!!

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GRRR!



I SWEAR I
DIDN'T STEAL
ANYTHING
THIS TIME!!!

SHUT
UP!



AHH,
YOU'RE
DRIVING ME
NUTS!



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JOON-JI,
YOU PUNK!
WHEN I
CATCH
YOU...

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WHEW!





GASP!

OOF!!

SISTER!
LET GO!!

HE'S
NOT A BAD
PERSON!!



YUN-WOO, I
BROUGHT THOSE
DUMPLINGS YOU
LIKE SO MUCH.
EAT UP.

WHAT ABOUT
YOU? YOU
EAT THEM.



I BROUGHT
THE DUMP-
PLINGS FOR
YOU. HURRY
UP AND EAT
THEM.



THAT'S...
THAT'S YOUR
SISTER?

SISTER!!



WHAT...
WHAT THE...
HECK...

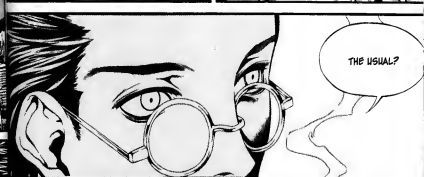
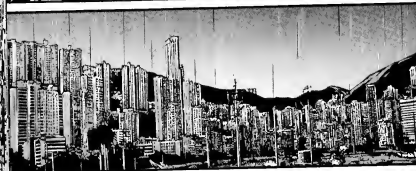
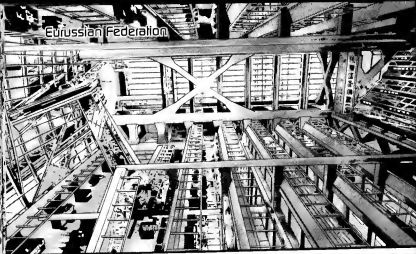


OH!
SISTER!!

I BROUGHT THE
DUMPLINGS YOU
LIKE...

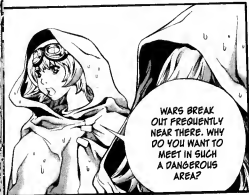
HUH?

Eurasian Federation





WE'LL MAKE
CONTACT IN
TWO DAYS, AT
THE BORDER OF
CONSBAY CITY.



WARS BREAK
OUT FREQUENTLY
NEAR THERE. WHY
DO YOU WANT TO
MEET IN SUCH
A DANGEROUS
AREA?



THE MORE
SOLDIERS
THERE ARE,
THE MORE LAX
SECURITY IS.



LIKE YOU JUST
SAID, IT IS DARK
UNDERNEATH THE
BEACON.



ARE YOU FEELING
ALL RIGHT?

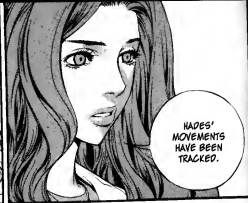


IT WAS A BAD
WOUND...BUT I'VE
HAD A LOT OF
REST.

THAT'S A
RELIEF.



WE RECEIVED
ORDERS FOR A
NEW MISSION...



HADES'
MOVEMENTS
HAVE BEEN
TRACKED.



IGOR, SIR, I KNOW
IT'S SUPPOSED TO BE
AN INCONSPICUOUS
PLACE, BUT THIS
ROOM IS JUST PLAIN
SQUALID.



IGOR...
FINALLY!

THE S.T.
RANGERS AND
THE MILITARY
WILL BEGIN
SEARCHING FOR
HIM SOON.



Conbay City, 2 days later.

OUR TEAM IS
BEING DISPATCHED
TO THE BORDER
AREA OF CONBAY.



BE PATIENT FOR
ONE MORE NIGHT.
THERE'S NO
REASON TO GET
BENT OUT OF
SHAPE.



WHAT?
SO?!



THE NEXT
ROOM IS VERY
NOISY. THERE
SEEM TO BE
THREE KIDS IN
THERE.



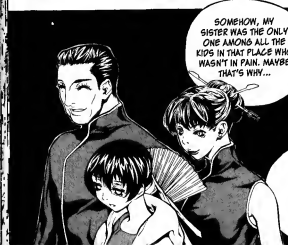
SO THEN WHAT
HAPPENED?



WE
WERE PUT
IN A SCARY
PLACE.



THEY GAVE US
STRANGE SHOTS
EVERY DAY, SHOTS
THAT GAVE US
TERRIBLE PAINS AND
HEADACHES.



SOMEHOW, MY
SISTER WAS THE ONLY
ONE AMONG ALL THE
KIDS IN THAT PLACE WHO
WASN'T IN PAIN. MAYBE
THAT'S WHY...



...THOSE PEOPLE
WHO POSED AS OUR
ADOPTED PARENTS
TOOK MY SISTER AWAY
EACH DAY.



THAT'S
WHEN MY
SISTER BECAME
STRANGE. LIKE
SHE'D LOST HER
MIND...

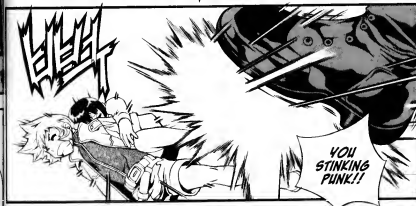


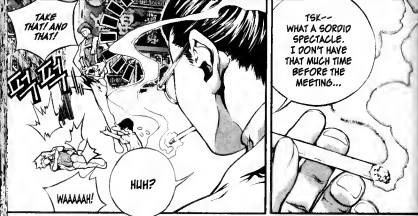
HEY,
HEY!
DON'T
CRY!!



IT'S ALL RIGHT!
JOON-JI WILL
TAKE CARE OF
EVERYTHING!!

THERE'S A
HOSPITAL
NEARBY. WE'LL
TAKE YOUR
SISTER THERE!!





CHRONO CODE





HEY, WHY DON'T YOU
STOP THAT NOW? WHAT
ARE YOU DOING TO
THOSE KIDS?!



Flick



OW,
HOT!!



I THINK I'LL
SAVE YOUR
PRESCRIPTION
FOR LATER.



HMPH!
ANOTHER
AUDIENCE LOSER?
MIND YOUR OWN
BUSINESS, FOUR
EYES.

拾銭!!



I AM A BUSY
MAN, BUT...

YA KNOW, A
BULLET WOULD
BE AN INSTANT
CURE FOR A
GUY WITH NO
BRAINS.



FUCK!



THINGS'LL
GET VERY
CRAZY SOON,
SO...

우자!!

SIR...
SIR...

ALL
RIGHT! LET'S
GET OUT OF
HERE!!

THE GUARDS
HAVE BEEN
ATTACKED!

CAPTURE
THEM! CATCH
THOSE
GUYS!!

GET
AFTER
HIM!!

THERE ARE
GUNSHOTS
OUTSIDE!!



HUFF
HUFF

HUFF

HUFF

YOU SHOULD BE
CAREFUL OF THOSE
BURUSSIAN GUYS.

HUFF

OW! I KNOW THEY'RE
ONLY KIDS, BUT THREE
IS TOO MANY. I MUST
BE GETTING OLD...



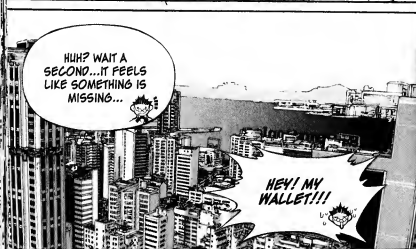
IF THEY DON'T
LIKE THE WAY YOU
KIDS ACT, THEY
WON'T HESITATE
TO BLOW YOU
AWAY.



ARE THEY
WAR
ORPHANS?
A SISTER
AND LITTLE
BROTHER...



...WITH ONLY
EACH OTHER TO
RELY ON...



THIS'S
THE ONE I
FOUND ON
THE STREET!

WHY IS THIS
FAT WALLET
JUST LYING
IN THE
STREET?

Pretending
he found it.

IT'LL BE HARD TO
FIND THE OWNER,
SO OH WELL! HA
HA HA HA HA HA!

I GOT YOU,
KID!

DON'T
WORRY...
YOU DIDN'T
STEAL IT, YOU
KNOW...

I'M SO
SORRY,
SIR--

THAT
PICKPOCKET
IS A GOOD
PERSON.

KID, I
SAID
IT'S ALL
RIGHT.

WHAT THE...?
YOU KIDS LIVE
HERE?!

YES, SIR.

IT SEEMS LIKE THE
THREE OF US HAVE A
MUTUAL DESTINATION.

WHAT'S HE
TALKING
ABOUT....?

HUH?

I HAVE
TO MEET
SOMEONE
HERE AT THIS
HOTEL.

DON'T WORRY. I'M
GOING TO TAKE
GOOD CARE OF MY
SISTER!!

IT MUST BE DIFFICULT
FOR THE TWO OF YOU,
BUT FOR AS LONG YOU
LIVE, CONTINUE TO CARE
FOR EACH OTHER...

...AND NEVER FORGET
THAT IN THIS WORLD THERE
IS NOTHING THICKER
THAN BLOOD. DO YOU
UNDERSTAND?

ALL RIGHT,
THEN YOU KIDS
GO AHEAD.

THANKS,
MISTER.
GOODBYE.



YOU FINALLY
ARRIVED.



A LITTLE
LATE, AREN'T
YOU?



AH, I HAD TO HANDLE
SOME MISCHIEF ON
THE WAY HERE. WHAT
DO YOU THINK OF THIS
PLACE? ENJOYING
YOUR STAY?



VEGGH. I'D FARE
BETTER IN A
CARDBOARD BOX
IN AN ALLEY.



THE
BURUSSIAN
FEDERATION
IS FRAN-
TICALLY
SEARCHING
FOR ME.

IS THERE
A SECURE
ESCAPE
ROUTE?



I'M JIN-GAI, SPECIAL
SECRET AGENT OF THE
AURIENCE FEDERATION.
IF YOU'LL HAND OVER
THE INFORMATION IN YOUR
POSSESSION, I WILL
EXCHANGE MY LIFE FOR
IT, SO THAT YOUR SAFE
PASSAGE IS ASSURED.

HADES, YOU MUST HAVE
SOME CONDITIONS. DO YOU
WANT...MONEY?!



SISTER!



YOU AREN'T
IN PAIN
ANYMORE?
REALLY?!



HUH
?



MONEY? I
DON'T NEED
SCRAPS OF
PAPER!

THIS IS MERELY
THE BEGINNING OF
MY PLAN TO BRING
DOWN THE EURUSSIAN
FEDERATION.



YUN-WOO,
IT'S ME,
JOON-JI.
HURRY UP AND
OPEN THE
DOOR!



AAH!
JOON-JI!
WHERE DID
YOU RUN
OFF TO!!!



AFTER YOU
LEFT, THAT
NICE MAN
BROUGHT US
HERE.





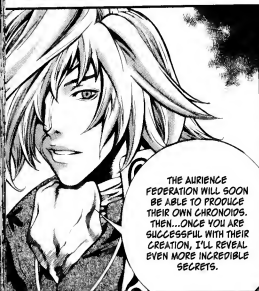
THE CHRONOID 6-UNIT THAT IS FUSED ONTO THE BACK HAS INCREDIBLE CAPACITY FOR DATA STORAGE.

THE SECRET INFORMATION THAT WE WANT TO TRANSFER IS ALSO STORED IN VAN'S CHRONOID 6-UNIT.

HMM. FASCINATING.



CAN I GO AND PLAY WITH THEM? IGOR?!



THE AURIENCE FEDERATION WILL SOON BE ABLE TO PRODUCE THEIR OWN CHRONOIDS. THEN...ONCE YOU ARE SUCCESSFUL WITH THEIR CREATION, I'LL REVEAL EVEN MORE INCREDIBLE SECRETS.









IT'S DIFFICULT
TO BELIEVE, BUT
THAT GIRL...

WHOA!

...THERE'S
NO MISTAKE...
SHE'S A
CHRONOID!

SHE'S A
CHRONOID?
HOW CAN
THAT BE?





IGOR!! ALL
HOPE OF
FORGIVENESS
IS NOW GONE.

IGOR...NO, WE
CANNOT ALLOW
HADES TO SEND
THE INFO OVER
TO THE AURIENCE
FEDERATION!!



LIEUTENANT
GARRION! WE
JUST HEARD FROM
THE OUTSKIRTS OF
THE CITY...



I GOT THE
REPORT. TAKE
ME TO THE
PLACE WHERE HE
APPEARED.

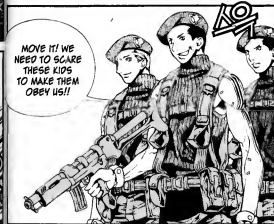


PUT THE
ENTIRE CITY ON
EMERGENCY
ALERT AS OF
RIGHT NOW!

CALL IN ALL AVAILABLE
MILITARY PERSONNEL, AND
MAKE SURE THAT NOT EVEN
A MOUSE CAN GET OUT
OF THE CITY!!



YOU AND I...THIS CAN
ONLY END WHEN ONE
OF US IS DEAD!







UH-HHHH...



SISTER!!
BE
CAREFUL!!



NO, I
MUST
PROTECT
YUN-
WOO!!



ARGH
!!



KUHGH!!



AH...
AGAIN, MY
BODY...



IF I
DIE, THEN
YUN-WOO...
YUN-WOO...

SISTER!!

I
CANNOT
DIE...
HERE...

I AM GOING TO
TAKE CARE OF THAT
KID NOW.

YOU...
YOU'RE A
MONSTER!
I'M GONNA
KILL YOU!!

GUNFIRE IS
REPORTED IN THE
THIRD DISTRICT.

SECOND AND
FIFTH COMPANY,
BARRICADE THE
THIRD DISTRICT
ACCORDING TO
INSTRUCTIONS.

STOP RIGHT
THERE.

THEY'RE
GOING TO
SWARM
IN HERE
SOON!!



At that time...if only
I had rejected that
hand and run away
with Yun-Woo...

KID,
GRAB MY
HAND!!



But I didn't, so I put my
hand out as if I were
drawn toward it.

:CHRONO:CODE:

That was when my destiny began.

